SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 208 By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Joshua McCarter, 2003 Valedictorian of Hermitage Springs High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Joshua McCarter is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Hermitage Springs High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Joshua McCarter has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Joshua McCarter has earned an exemplary 3.93 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Joshua McCarter's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades and positions of leadership, Joshua was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" by his classmates, and has served with distinction as Sr. Beta Club President and FFA President; and

WHEREAS, Joshua McCarter's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Jimmy and Janice McCarter, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Joshua McCarter's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Hermitage Springs High School Valedictorian, Joshua McCarter, on his impressive academic achievement, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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